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Group Art Unit: 3765

Invention: Use of Rubber Latex in Combination with Starch

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Small Entity Status is/has been asserted for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27 is enclosed.

☒ No additional fee is required.

☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim/s			+ \$145.00	+ \$290.00	\$ 0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE					\$ 0

☐ A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed to cover the filing fee.

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☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. An original and two copies of this sheet are enclosed.

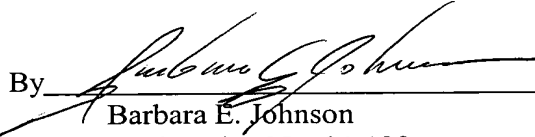
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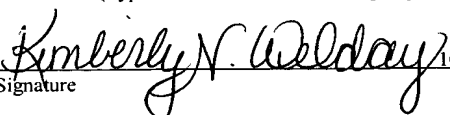
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This election is in response to the Office Action dated September 23, 2003.  
Applicants hereby elect claims 36-~~46~~ without traverse.

Examination and allowance of claims 36-~~46~~ are respectfully requested.

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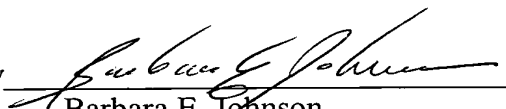
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Applicants reserve their right to file at a later time a divisional application directed to the non-elected claims. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(b), there is no change in inventorship as a result of this election.

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